

JULY 1, 2024 - JUNE 30, 2025

ANNUAL REPORT

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Letter of Address

NATHAN CHENNAULT

Hello Friends,

At any given time, the work we do at Vera Lloyd has multiple moving parts. My short time here has been extremely busy, and I could not be more excited. As you read through this annual report, you will see just a small percentage of what goes on behind the scenes. More importantly, you will see how we impact children's lives because of the prayers and support from you and those like you. I will never be able to express how thankful I am for your generosity.

Your faith in Vera Lloyd gives me, our employees, and our children the courage to be bold and dream big. It probably sounds trite, but I believe that if you aren't scared, you're not dreaming big enough. Dreaming big is exactly what I have been doing these few short months.

I have had the pleasure of meeting and talking to our staff at all levels and spending a lot of time on campus with the children. In every interaction, I ask what they like, what they don't like, and what is missing. Then I get to ask my favorite questions: Who do you want to be? What do you want to do? What are you scared of? and What is the one thing you think you will never be able to do? I love those questions because no one is ever prepared to answer all of them. They often require a moment of introspection and bravery to answer honestly. I especially love sitting with the kids in these moments. You can see the glimmer in their eyes when they start to consider the possibilities.



As you might expect, this next year is about moving forward--being brave and dreaming big! The plans are a compilation of my vision and dreams, built on the personal dreams of our children and staff. We are always working to improve how we serve our children on campus. Currently, we are expanding our education and workforce programs with a focus on helping children identify and set life goals while supporting them throughout the process. Our goal for every child coming through Vera Lloyd is to leave having completed their education and be working toward or in the process of completing secondary education or job training. The training will be provided on campus through community, industry, and educational partners. We continue to expand our children's experiential learning and community engagement. Helping them learn through mentors and jobs, while gaining new experiences so they can dream even bigger than before, leaves a lasting impact on their young lives.

Last but not least, we will soon be maxed out for capacity in our current programs, and are opening an additional 10 beds in both October 2025 and early spring of 2026. Thank you for your continued support as we reflect on decades of past service to the children of our state and look forward to meeting the future needs of our residents. Again, from all of us at Vera Lloyd, thank you! We are excited to have you along for this journey.

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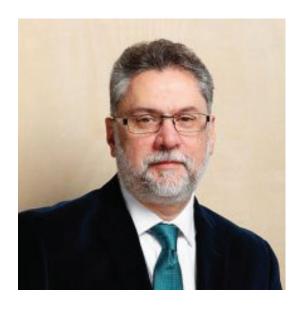
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Vera Lloyd believes in the value of every human being. We strive to create safe and inclusive environments that celebrate diversity and foster positive relationships.

Mission

The mission of Vera Lloyd Presbyterian Family Services is to heal, prepare and empower children, youth and families in need.

Vision

Our collective vision is for children, youth and families to have the resources they need to be successful.

Calling

Our calling is to share Christ's healing love with children, youth and families.

Core Values

Vera Lloyd is an organization that fosters a culture of caring and respect, is committed to accountability and integrity and is dedicated to the inclusion and acceptance of all.

Vera Lloyd

PROGRAMS

The mission of Vera Lloyd is to heal, prepare and empower children, youth and families in need.

HEALING

Vera Lloyd provides a trauma-informed, faith-based environment where children and youth can begin to heal. The youth we serve come from all over Arkansas through the foster care and juvenile justice systems. On our Monticello campus, residents find safety, consistency and compassionate care to support their emotional and physical recovery.

PREPARING

We prepare youth for life beyond our care by helping them build essential life and job skills. From individualized education support to daily routines and personal responsibility, we create opportunities for growth and learning. Our structured programs give youth the tools they need to thrive as adults when they leave our care.

EMPOWERING

At Vera Lloyd, we empower youth and families to believe in their potential and envision a brighter future. We support foster and adoptive families with practical training, and encourage our youth to take on leadership roles, develop new interests and connect with mentors and the community. Every step forward is guided by respect, dignity and the belief that change is possible.

SERVICES

Workforce Education

- On-campus jobs and life skills training
- · Career field trips and guest speakers
- Goal-setting and financial literacy

Mental & Physical Health

- Stable residential care in Monticello
- Nutritious meals and safe living spaces
- · Individual and Group Counseling
- 24/7 trauma-informed staff support

Recreation & Creativity

- Art, gardening, sports and music
- Off-campus enrichment like swimming and field trips
- Opportunities for creativity, fun and self-expression

Training for Foster Families

- Online Resource Parent Training for foster families
- Expert-led classes on trauma, mental health and communication
- Supportive community for foster and adoptive families

Vera Lloyd Program

WORKFORCE EDUCATION

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PAST YEAR:

The goal of Workforce Education at Vera Lloyd is to ensure that every resident leaves campus with a clear pathway to a career, college, job training, or military service. Vera Lloyd's guidance towards independent adulthood helps create lasting, positive impact.

By the Numbers:

•	O*NET assessments 21
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•	Guest Speakers27
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Every resident completes an O*NET career interest survey and meets one-on-one with the Workforce Education Coordinator to discuss career goals, education options, and training opportunities. All residents attend school, either online or in person, and may earn a high school diploma or GED. TABE assessments, used to measure readiness for employment or further education, are offered to residents close to entering the workforce.

Guest speakers and field trips are likely the two most popular components of Workforce Education. Local speakers from schools, businesses, nonprofits, and the military provided information and encouragement to plan for the future. Field trips included



 $Helping\ Mr.\ Mark\ (Campus\ Maintenance\ Supervisor)\ install\ a\ bulletin\ board.$



the University of AR at Monticello, Southern AR University Technical School, and the AR Welding Academy.

On-the-job (OJT) training is another cornerstone for our youth. This year, our young women worked at the Monticello Public Library twice a week, and the young men gained experience at a resale store, benefiting a nonprofit that assists victims of trauma-based circumstances.

The Campus Work program is another wonderful OJT opportunity. Participants apply for a spot, interview, work, and receive constructive criticism while they earn a stipend. Financial Literacy is included as they open bank accounts to have earnings deposited for future use—a great learning experience with practical applications.

Campus Work participants also contributed to major campus events. They used the appropriate tools to set up the Workforce lab/office space, and assisted with the first annual campus fish fry in October. They will be helping again this year to help set up, decorate, guide parking, and clean the spaces in addition to getting the campus ready for our many visitors.

One of our biggest success stories left campus in December. With a family history in the military, he passed

his GED on the first attempt while studying for his ASVAB (military practice test) and working on WAGE certification – a certificate program that demonstrates workplace competency. He kept busy while waiting to join the military by applying for various job openings in his home county.

We greatly appreciate the support our donors provide for our residents as we seek to make up for the lack of guidance endured by so many of our kids. With your help, we are making a lasting impact on young people in state care and providing our youth with a future filled with opportunity.



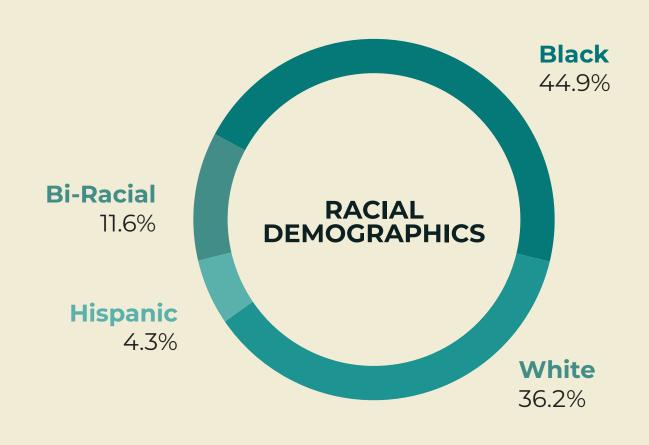




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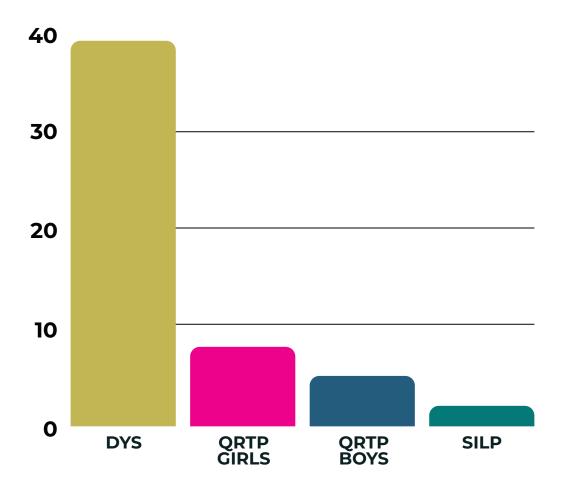
YOUTH DEMOGRAPHICS

LIVES CHANGED





RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM BREAKDOWN



RESOURCE PARENT TRAINING (RPT)

Vera Lloyd offers bi-weekly, online Resource Parent Training to provide support and education for foster and adoptive families from all areas of the state. Parents struggle to cope with the behavioral issues of their foster and adoptive children and youth, frequently impacted by past trauma.

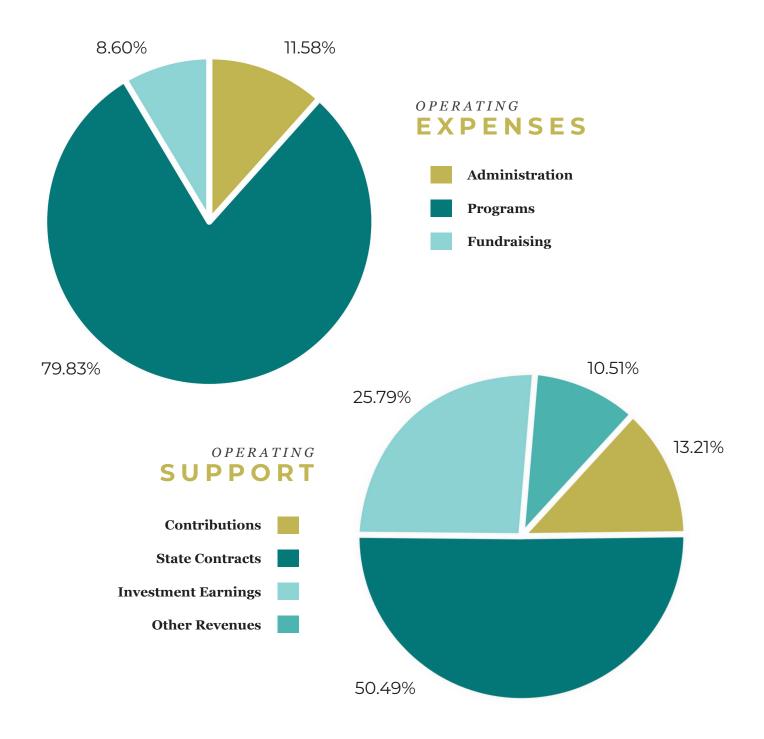
Hundreds of family members are helped yearly as they form supportive relationships with other parents in the same circumstances, guided by a skilled and compassionate counselor.

More than 250 families were served this past year. This program is 100% donor funded.

2024 - 2025

FINANCIAL IMPACT

For the 2024–2025 fiscal year, Vera Lloyd is investing nearly 80% of its operating expenses directly into programs, with the remainder supporting administration and fundraising. The organization's work is primarily funded through state contracts, along with contributions, investment earnings, and other revenue sources. This structure reflects a strong focus on mission impact while maintaining financial sustainability.



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These are donors who have designated Vera Lloyd in their estate plans. Legacy gifts make an ongoing and lasting impact on Arkansas' children, youth, and families.

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Campus Quotes

"I love working at Vera Lloyd for many reasons, including: the rewarding work we do with the clients we serve, the family-like atmosphere, and the passion everyone has for our mission."

- TRACEY BRATTON

"Making a difference in the youth's lives. Sometimes changing their thoughts of the way they live their lives. Seeing them accomplish things that they thought they never would or could."

- JENNIE BROWN

"When the kids have campus activities together, we have the most fun."

- L.T.

"My favorite part about working at Vera Lloyd is when the youth are so excited to tell me something they have accomplished or tell me something fun they've done."

- JANAY











Get in Touch

CONTACT US

Have questions or want to learn more?

The Vera Lloyd team is here to help. Whether you're curious about our programs, want to explore ways to get involved, or simply need more information, we're ready to listen and provide answers. We believe in building strong connections with our community, and your outreach is the first step toward making a difference together.

When you contact us, you're not just speaking with an organization—you're connecting with real people who care deeply about the children, youth, and families we serve. Every conversation helps us better understand your interests, share our mission, and discover how we can work together to create brighter futures. No question is too small, and every inquiry matters to us.

Reach out today by phone, email, or through our website's contact form. We'd love to hear your story, answer your questions, and explore how you can be part of the life-changing work happening at Vera Lloyd. Your call or message could be the beginning of something truly meaningful.

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